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Kingston, Rhode IslandFACULTY SENATE
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

TO: President Frank Newman

FROM: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled One Hundred and Fifty-Third Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee

_____ ,
is forwarded for your consideration.

2. The original and two copies for your use are included.
3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on February 22, 1979.
(date)
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Regents, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
5. In accordance with Section 8, paragraph 2 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective on March 15, 1979 (date), three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward it to the Board of Regents for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Regents, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

February 26, 1979
(date)

Dorothy F. Donnelly
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Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

1. Returned.
2. a. Approved ✓.
- b. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Regents _____.
- c. Disapproved _____.

3/13/79
(date)

F. Newman
President

UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE

January 30, 1979

Faculty Senate Curricular Affairs Committee One Hundred and Fifty-Third Report

On January 29, 1979, the Curricular Affairs Committee considered the following matters now submitted to the Faculty Senate.

SECTION I

Informational Matters

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Sociology and Anthropology

CHANGE: Title for SOC 336 to "Social Inequality."

SECTION II

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of History

ADD: HIS 105 Freshman Seminar in History (I or II,3)
Re-creating the past by the use of original historical source materials in topics and areas to selected. Limited to 15 freshman. Pre: Permission of department. Staff

2. Department of Music

CHANGE: Level and number for MUS 305 to "MUS 105 (305)."

3. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

CHANGE: Title, prerequisite and description for SOC 324:

SOC 324 Sociology of Medicine (I or II,3)
Health and illness in light of American social structure and social values. Patterns of diversity and conflict in health care delivery, and discrepancies between technical aspects of medicine and its organization and distribution. (Lec. 3) Pre: 3 credits in sociology and anthropology. Rosengren

C.A.C. #153--79-1-30

4. Department of Zoology

CHANGE: Level and number for the following courses:

- a. ZOO 354 to "ZOO 254 (354)"
- b. ZOO 321 to "ZOO 221 (321)"

B. College of Arts and Sciences and College of Human Science and Services:

CHANGE: Expiration date for legislation (Senate Bill #77-78--23) delegating to the College of Human Science and Services the authority to award the B.A. degree:

The College of Arts and Sciences delegates to the College of Human Science and Services the authority and responsibility for approving the award of the B.A. degree to those students who have already started their course of studies or who will enter the University and begin their studies toward the B.A. in Education prior to October 1, 1979.

C. College of Engineering

Department of Mechanical Engineering and Applied Mechanics

a. ADD: MCE 317, 318 Mechanical Engineering Experimentation I and II (I and II,3 each) An integrated laboratory sequence for the junior and senior years; static and dynamic characteristics of instruments, calibration, experimental error propagation, planning of experiments from dimensional and error considerations and a broad range of laboratory experiments in mechanical engineering. Pre: CSC 201, MCE 341, concurrent registration in 354 for 317; 317 for 318. Staff

b. DELETE: The following courses *effective 1980-81:*

- 1) MCE 212
- 2) MCE 313
- 3) MCE 314
- 4) MCE 315
- 5) MCE 316

D. College of Human Science and Services

ADD: Area of Interest:

Students may elect to declare an area of interest which will appear on their transcripts as a category separate from their major. Credits may be drawn from any cohesive combination of courses. An area of interest may be defined as (1) the completion of 18 or more credits offered within a department and approved by the department chairperson, or (2) the completion of 18 or more credits of related studies offered by more than one department and approved by a member of the faculty competent in the area of interest and the dean of the college. It is the responsibility of the student to declare and obtain approval for an area of interest no later than the end of the add period at the start of the senior year. Students need not declare an area of interest.

S E C T I O N I I I

Joint Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee and Graduate Council on 400-Level Courses.

At the Curricular Affairs Committee's meeting of January 29, 1979 and the Graduate Council's meetings of December 15, 1978 and January 19, 1979 the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate for Confirmation:

A. College of Arts and Sciences

ADD: LIN 402 Syntactic Analysis (I or II,3) A study of primary sources in contemporary research into syntactic structures. Emphasis on developing the ability to construct and test linguistic models. (Lec. 3) Pre: 201 or ENG 330 or permission of instructor. Arakelian

B. University Library

ADD: LIB 405 Fine Letterpress Printing (I or II,3) History, theory and practice of fine printing by letterpress, with emphasis on the work of the great private presses. Pre: Permission of instructors. Extension only. Maslyn and Gutchen